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**Amendment to Place the Application in Condition for Allowance**

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Letter mailed December 17, 2004, applicants request that the above application be amended as follows:

CLAIMS: Request for amendments to the claims begins on page 2 of this amendment.

REMARKS begin on page 8 of this amendment.

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